GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1049
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MOU BETWEEN MANIPUR AND NEEPCO
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether an MoU is proposed to be signed regarding Tapaimukh Dam between Manipur and NEEPCO;

(b) if so, the latest position in this regard; and

(c) the time by which the project is likely to be taken up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : Tipaimukh HE Project (1500 MW) was transferred from Brahmputra Board to North Eastern Electric Power Corporation (NEEPCO) to be implemented as a Central Sector Project in October, 1999. The project has been identified for benefits during 11th Plan period. As per the decision of Manipur Legislative Assembly at its sitting held on 15.12.1999, NEEPCO has been authorized to go ahead with further survey and investigations and that final project report be submitted to Government of Manipur for approval/clearance.

Accordingly, on 15.12.2000, NEEPCO has submitted the Detailed Project Report of the Project to the State Government of Manipur for their consideration. Draft Memorandum of Understanding has also been submitted to the State Government.